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Minutes of the Neuse Baptist Association

And

Woman's Missionary Union

In The First Annual Session, Held With The First Baptist Church, Goldsboro, Tuesday, November 19, 1929.

Next session will be held with the Mount Nelson Baptist Church, Eureka, N. C., Tuesday, November 4th and Wednesday, November 5th, 1930.

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W. H. Moore ..... Kinston
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A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro

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B. W. Spilman ..... Kinston

Neuse Baptist Association Proceedings

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1929
Goldsboro First Church

1. The meeting was called to order by Rev. A. J. Smith. Hymn, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds."

2. Devotional by Dr. Chas. E. Maddrey, reading from Acts the story of Philip and the Enoch. In his comments he talked of God's appointed plan from three angles, the call of the Holy Spirit; the Word of God; Human personality. These three combined form God's appointed plan.

3. On motion of Dr. Spilman, Rev. A. J. Smith was nominated Chairman Pro-Tem of the body, and was duly elected.

4. On motion of Dr. Spilman, Mrs. J. C. Hough was duly elected Secretary Pro-Tem of the body.

5. Rev. A. J. Smith read a certified copy of resolutions sent out to the churches by the clerk, U. E. Swann, telling of the division of the Neuse-Atlantic Association.

6. Roll call of churches, fifteen being represented as follows: Cedar Dell, Davis Grove, Emmans, Falling Creek, Fremont, Goldsboro First, Goldsboro Second, Cabin, Jordan's Chapel, Kinston, La-Grange, Mt. Nelson, Snow Hill, Union, Grainger.

7. Rev. W. H. Covart stated that Winterville and Ayden wished letters of dismission to be granted them to join the Roanoke Association. Their reason for this request was because of their location geographically.

8. Dr. Spilman arose to raise the question in organization as to whether the churches not represented become a part of this new association automatically. It was Dr. Maddrey's suggestion that we assume that they are all members until they ask for letters of dismission.

Motion by Mr. H. B. Parker that those churches in the North end of Association be members of this body and that we proceed with the organization.

9. On motion duly seconded the name of this body became the Neuse Baptist Association.

10. Motion by Rev. E. L. Parker that a committee of five be appointed to draft constitution, aim, etc, of this Association.

The Moderator appointed the following on this committee: J. C. Hough, S. F. Teague, T. J. Hood, B. W. Spilman and H. C. Hasty.

11. The names of Dr. B. W. Spilman and S. F. Teague were presented as nominees for Moderator of the Association. The voting was done by ballots and Dr. B. W. Spilman was elected chairman.

12. Rev. Walter M. Gilmore, Dr. Maddrey, Mrs. Edna R. Harris, were recognized. Dr. Maddrey in a few words gave the body some valuable suggestions for the new organization. He also sent out an appeal that we put before our churches the needs of the various objects.

13. Dr. Spilman, as Moderator ruled that we work under the constitution of the old Neuse-Atlantic Association until the new constitution was drawn up and presented. This constitution provides that the Moderator take charge at the close of the session, therefore Rev. A. J. Smith, the Moderator Pro-Tem, kept the chair for this session.

14. Dr. Spilman talked on the necessity of putting the proper persons on the Executive Committee, saying that such body was the most important part of the Association.

15. Nominations were called for Vice-Moderator. Rev. E. L. Parker presented the name of Rev. A. J. Smith and he was duly elected.

16. The names of Mr. Charles Warren, Mr. J. C. Hough and Mrs. J. C. Hough were presented for Clerk and Treasurer but the names of Mr. Hough and Mrs. Hough were withdrawn and on motion of Rev. E. L. Parker, Mr. Charles Warren was elected by acclamation.

17. Upon suggestion of S. F. Teague we entered into the election of officers for the Sunday School Association, and the name of Rev. Joe C. Hough was presented. Upon motion of Mr. Charles H. Warren, Dr. B. W. Spilman was asked to cast the ballot of the Association for Rev. J. C. Hough for President of the Neuse Baptist Sunday School Association. The names of B. L. Wetherington and G. F. Seymore and after voting by ballot Mr. G. F. Seymore of Falling Creek Church was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

18. Rev. W. R. Beach was recognized, and spoke for a few minutes on the *Biblical Recorder*.

19. The next order of business was the election of officers for the Associational B. Y. P. U. The name of H. C. Bowers of Cedar Dell was presented and on motion Mr. Bowers was elected by accla-

mation to serve as President of the Neuse Baptist B. Y. P. U. Association.

20. Upon motion of Mr. Parker, the matter of electing the remainder of the B. Y. P. U. officers was delayed until the Associational meeting of the B. Y. P. U. on December 19th.

21. A meeting of the Committee on Constitution was called for immediately after lunch in the pastor's study.

22. Rev. E. L. Parker was asked to conduct the devotional for the afternoon session.

23. A motion that we adjourn to meet at 1:30. Dismissed by Dr. B. W. Spilman.

AFTERNOON SESSION
W. M. U.

1. 1:30 P. M. Meeting called to order by Mrs. E. R. Harris of Raleigh. Rev. E. L. Parker conducted the devotional exercise.

2. On motion Mrs. J. C. Hough, the W. M. U. of Neuse Baptist Association went into the election of officers and the following officers were elected:

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Chairman Stewardship—

3. Mrs. Crawford extended an invitation to the W. M. U. of the new Neuse Baptist Association to hold its fall meeting with the First Church, Goldsboro.

4. Mrs. Harris explained that all moneys and reports would be credited to the Neuse-Atlantic W. M. U. until January 1st, 1930, and after that to the Neuse.

5. Mrs. J. C. Hough, newly elected Superintendent, made a splendid acceptance speech and outlined in a general way the plans for the future.

6. Mrs. Isley requested of the N. B. A. that the divisions of the churches be announced before adjournment.

7. On motion Mrs. Belk, the Superintendent of W. M. U., is to be considered an officer in the Neuse Baptist Association and hence a member of the executive committee.

8. No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION OF NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. Mr. S. F. Teague made the report for the committee on organization of the Neuse Baptist Association.

2. On motion of Mr. S. F. Teague the Moderator was requested to appoint a committee of five to name the executive committee. This committee was duly appointed as follows: Judge J. A. Powers, H. B. Parker, Mrs. J. C. Crawford, Mrs. C. E. Epting, and J. C. Hough.

3. Bro. A. J. Smith announced that Bro. L. L. Morgan would be available in this Association for fully one-third of his time during the coming year and urged that the churches use him for all available time. Bro. Smith concluded his remarks with an inspirational appeal for all churches to push all branches of our work.

4. On motion Bro. Hood a standing vote of thanks was tendered the ladies for the excellent entertainment afforded the delegates during their stay in Goldsboro.

5. Invitations from Mount Nelson and Davis Grove churches for the next meeting of the Association. A ballot vote was taken and Mount Nelson Church at Eureka was selected as the next meeting place.

6. On motion Bro. E. L. Parker all W. M. U. officers were ratified by the Association as provided by the Constitution.

7. Mrs. A. J. Smith invited all present to attend the regional B. Y. P. U. in April when the meeting will be held with the First Church.

8. By request, Bro. L. L. Morgan gave us fitting remarks on Sunday School work stressing particularly the Young Peoples and Adult Work.

9. The following officers of the Executive Committee were duly elected as selected by the nominating committee:

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10. A meeting of the Executive Committee was announced for Tuesday December 3rd, at 11:00 A. M., in the pastor's study at the First Baptist Church, Goldsboro. All appeals for aid from churches trying to organize fields will be heard at this time.

11. By request these minutes are to be sent to Bro. U. E. Swann for incorporation into the report of the old Neuse-Atlantic Association.

12. Brother S. F. Teague expressed the desire to see a resident pastor serving every church in the Neuse Baptist Association.

13. On motion of Bro. B. W. Spilman, Ayden and Winterville were granted letters of dismissal to join the Roanoke Association.

14. Bro. S. F. Teague made the motion, inviting Mount Olive and Pinckney churches to join the Neuse Baptist Association due to their geographical location in Wayne County. Motion passed unanimously.

15. On motion of Brother H. B. Parker, Brother E. L. Parker, pastor of Falling Creek Church, dismissed the Association with prayer.

Donated by Dr B. W. Spilman, Kin
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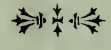

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Wm. L. Parker.....Goldsboro
Howard Pipkin.....Mt. Olive
A. J. Smith.....Goldsboro
F. L. Isreal.....Fremont
C. J. Ellis.....Goldsboro

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J. C. Hough.....Kinston, Route No. 4
R. L. Pugh.....Fort Barnwell
F. L. Harriss.....Kinston

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Mount Nelson Baptist Church

1. The meeting was called to order by the moderator, B. W. Spillman, L. L. Morgan acting as clerk.

2. Devotional by A. J. Smith, Scripture Reading from Colossians, prayer by C. V. Brooks.

3. On motion, A. J. Smith was appointed to meet with the delegates to arrange the order of business.

4. While waiting for arrangements of business, the following visitors were recognized: J. A. McMillan, Thomasville, C. V. Brooks Calipso, Rev. Leslie Newman, Mrs. Alice Strother, Mrs. R. L. Best, Mrs. H. O. Summers all of Stantonsburg, Rev. J. M.Page Raleigh, and Rev. W. R. Beach, of Clinton.

5. After a partial report of the committee on the order of business, A. J. Smith was continued as chariman, with the following, Mrs. J. C. Hough, Kennedy Home, Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Snow Hill, and Mrs. J. B. Stallings, Mt. Nelson.

6. Devotional Literature was discussed by W. R. Beach. Orphanage work was discussed by J. A. McMillan.

7. After a final report on the order of business by A. J. Smith, a motion to adjourn for dinner was in order.

AFTERNOON SESSION

1. On motion by A. J. Smith, the Centenial and Co-operative Programs was combined and discussed by J. M. Page, of Raleigh.

2. W. M. U. was discussed by Mrs. A. J. Smith and Mrs. J. C. Hough.

3. Sunday School work was discussed by J. C. Hough, L. L. Morgan and B. W. Spillman.

4. The following officers were elected:
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5. On motion of B. W. Spillman an offering was taken to make up a deficit of last year's Minute Fund.

6. On motion the Association adopted a program as outlined by B. W. Spillman as follows: The annual business session of the Association shall meet on Wednesday after the first Lord's Day in November. There shall be three meetings of the Association on the three first fifth Sundays of each year for the discussion of Missions, Sunday Schools, Orphanages, Hospitals, B. Y. P. Us. and other such departments. Places and programs to be arranged by the executive committee.

On motion by W. H. Moore, the Association adjourned until Wednesday A. M. at 10:00 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY A. M.

1. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, and the devotional was led by E. L. Parker, Falling Creek and W. H. Moore, Kinston, N. C.

2. Mrs. H. C. Bowers read a report on the work of the B. Y. P. U., W. H. Moore of Kinston made a special appeal in behalf of the B. Y. P. U., W. M. Herbert, Kinston, Mrs. H. C. Bowers, Kennedy Home, E. L. Parker, Falling Creek, John Davis, Mt Nelson, gave some of the concrete examples of some of the fine work that the B. Y. P. U. has accomplished in their respective churches.

3. On motion by W. H. Moore, the regular order of business was changed from Christian Education to discussion of the Executive Committee.

4. S. F. Teague, Goldsboro, discussed the plan of the work for the Executive Committee as outlined under the new plan of associational meetings.

5. On motion by A. J. Smith it was ordered to make the constitution read Wednesday after the first Lord's Day in November instead of Tuesday.

6. A. J. Smith, Goldsboro and W. H. Moore, Kinston, discussed the work of the Executive Committee, and the department heads of the Sunday School, B. Y. P. U. and W. M. U.

7. Pres. Charles E. Brewer, of Meridith Collegge, spoke on Christian Education. ?

8. S. F. Teague spoke on the work of the denomination among the Student Body of the State Institutions.

9. On motion by L. L. Morgan the Association gave a rising vote of thanks for the hospitality received by Mt. Nelson Church and the surrounding community.

10. On the final roll call the following churches were represented: Davis Grove, Falling Creek, Fremont, Goldsboro First, Goldsboro Second, Graingers, Jordans Chapel, Kennedy Home, Kinston First, Mt. Nelson, New Hope, Sandy Bottom, Snow Hill and Union.

Thefollowing list of Delegates were present during the meeting:

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Taylor, Davis Grove.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Parker, Mr and Mrs. W. G. Best, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Andrews, Falling Creek.

Rev. F. L. Isreal, Mrs. Earl Pippin, Fremont.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, S. F. Teague, Goldsboro First.

R. S. Hamilton, Graingers.

H. C. Bryan, W. M. Howell, Jordan's Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hough, Mrs. C. J. Kornegay, Mrs. H. C. Bowers, Kennedy Home.

Rev. W. H. Moore, W. M. Herbert, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Powers, Kinston.

Mr and Mrs. Rudolph Croom, New Hope.

J. J. Croom, Sandy Bottom.

Mrs. Roscoe Bunn, Messrs. J. E. Debnam, R. W. Isley, F. C. Albritton, Annie Moore, Snow Hill.

Remus Rouse, Joel Rouse, Mrs. W. H. Davis, Miss Nettie Davis, Union.

11. On motion by A. J. Smith the Association adjourned to meet again at 10:00 A. M. on the fifth Sunday in March 1931 at a place to be selected by the Executive Committee.

MINUTES OF W. M. U. OF NEUSE ASSOCIATION

Held in Goldsboro First Baptist Church, Oct. 22, 10:00 A. M.

The first annual W. M. U. meeting of the Neuse Association was called to order by the Superintendent, Mrs. J. C. Hough. After the singing of hymn, "Faith of Our Fathers," the watchword for the year was repeated in Unison.

The devotional was led by Mrs. W. C. Suggs, Goldsboro.

Mrs. Henry Beek most graciously welcomed the ladies to their church and town.

In absence of Mrs. Henry Hood, Falling Creek, Mrs. Hough gave a few words in response.

The Association officers gave fine reports. Those reporting were:

Mrs. L. L. Morgan, Stewardship.
Mrs. R. W. Isely, Mission Study.

GROUP LEADERS

Mrs. Fred Harrell, Goldsboro.
Mrs. R. W. Isely, Snow Hill.
Miss Addie Sprinkle, Kinston.

The Superintendent in her report showed an increase in all work for the year. She laid much stress on the Christmas Offering and urged the women to contribute. She made the following statistical report:

Letters	200
Miles travelled	850
Societies organized	12
Money contributed	$2,042.91

(Of course, this report is for nine months only.)

Mrs. B. R. Hunter, Young Peoples Leader, gave a fine report.

At this time a quartet from Goldsboro rendered very fine music.

Mrs. W. N. Jones, our State President was with us, and gave us a most interesting and helpful message.

Mrs. Little of Goldsboro sang a solo, "Open My Eyes."

We were indeed fortunate to have Miss Pearl Johnson, our Missionary from Shanghai, China, with us. She spoke to us on "The Wise Ones in China," pointing out that those who are really wise are the ones who know the Lord.

We were glad to recognize Dr. P. Burroughs, and Dr. Clay Hudson among our visitors.

Mrs. John Crawford, Pres. of the society in Goldsboro extended an invitation to all, to stay for dinner.

The meeting adjourned with prayer by Rev. F. L. Israel, to meet at 2:00 o'clock for the afternoon session.

AFTERNOON SESSION
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The devotional for the afternoon was led by Mrs. E. B. Marston, of Kinston.

We were happy to have Mrs. H. M. Finch, our Leader, of the Elizabeth City Divisional W. M. U. She brought a very powerful Message.

Mrs. A. J. Smith presented the W. M. U. periodicals in a very unique way.

Mrs. F. L. Israel spoke to us on our Training School and Margaret Fund Students.

The committees reported as follows:
Committee on Nominations presented the following:
Supt., Mrs. J. C. Hough, Kennedy Home.
Asst. Supt., Mrs. A. J. Smith, Goldsboro.
Young Peopls'e Leader, Mrs. B. R. Hunter, Kennedy Home.
Secretary, Mrs. L. O. Hayes, Fremont.

Treasurer, Mrs. C. J. Kornegay, Kennedy Home.
Chiarman Stewardship, Mrs L. L. Morgan, Goldsboro.
Chairman Mission Study, Mrs. R. W. Isely, Snow Hill.

GROUP LEADERS

Goldsboro, Mrs. Fred Harrell.
Snow Hill, Mrs. R. W. Isely.
Kinston, Miss Addie Sprinkle.

The Committee on time and place did not make a definite report and it was decided to refer this to the Executive Committee.

The Committee on resolutions gave the following report:

Whereas, we the members of the Resolutions and recommendations Committee of the Neuse Association, realizing that this first meeting of the Association is outstanding in its inspirational spirit and educational program do resolve, that:

1. We express our deepest appreciation to the hostess society for their untiring work in creating the fine spirit of fellowship so manifest here, and for the delightful and satisfying luncheon.

2. We are most garteful to Mrs. Jones, Miss Pearl Johnson, Mrs. Finch and the Associational and group leaders who have held up for us the standards of highest service and inspired us to make an effort to reach this standard.

3. To the Asso. Supt. Mrs. J. C. Hough, for her splendid work as our leader, we express our heart felt thanks and pledge to her our heartiest cooperation for another year.

We recommend:

1. That we change date of meeting of Neuse Association W. M. U. from Fall to Spring.

2. That each person going, take a small lunch and relieve hostess church of the heavy burden of providing lunch for everybody.

Rev. W. H. Moore of Kinston gave a helpful message on "Our Centennial Year" and urged the payment of Centennial Pledges.

The last thing on the program was a wonderful message by Rev. A. J. Smith of Goldsboro. His subject was "More of Self - Less of Thee." In this he pointed out the fact that if we constantly cut off our gifts to Mission, we were losing sight of Christ. It was a great message.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. C. Hough, Supt. of the Kennedy Home.

At a call meeting of the Executive Committee of the Neuse Baptist Association, Sunday, Feb. 22nd, held at Kennedy Home, the following detail plan of operation was adopted in accordance with a motion passed at the regular meeting of the Association held at Mt. Nelson in November, 1930.

TIME:— The first three fifth Sundays in each year. Wednesday after the first Sunday in November. Meeting to begin at 10:00 A. M. and close about 3:30 P. M.

DISTRICTS:— The Association territory is divided into four districts as follows:

No. 1. Goldsboro. Churches:— Emmaus, Falling Creek, Goldsboro First, Goldsboro Second, Bryan Street, Hopewell, Jordan's Chapel.

No. 2. Kinston. Churches:— Grainger, Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange.

No. 3. Snow Hill. Churches:— Snow Hill, Mt. Nelson, Fremont, Davis Grove.

No. 4. Union Churches:— Bethel, Cabin, New Hope, Sandy Bottom, Seven Springs, Union.

MEETINGS BY DISTRICTS:— The session of the Association shall be held as far as practicable in each of the four districts each year. The tentative schedule is as follows:

Time	Church	District in which meeting is to be held			
		1931	1932	1933	1934
First 5th Sunday	Emmaus	1	2	3	4
Sec. 5th Sunday	Kennedy Home	2	3	4	1
Third 5th Sunday	Snow Hill	3	4	1	2
November	Union	4	1	2	3

SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED

First 5th Sunday:— Missions, Foreign Missions, Home Missoins, Woman's Missionary Union, Baptist Brotherhood.

Second 5th Sunday:—Training agencies, Sunday Schools, Baptist Young People's Union.

Third 5th Sunday:— Benevolence, Orphanage, Hospital, Minister's Relief.

November:— State Work, Association matters, State Missions, Education, (including Southern Seminaries)

PLACE OF MEETING AND PUBLICITY

In charge of sub-committee selected by the Association Executive Committee. To secure place of meeting, prepare program, notify the churches and interested persons.

ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment for the mid-day meal at the Association is to be provided by the visiting delegation. Each group from the churhces is asked to bring enough dinner for their own needs and a small amount in addition — to be served in picnic style.

REPORTS TO ASSOCIATION

The usual reports will be sent from the churches. There will be no committee reports on the various subjects. The Associational Executive Committee will include in its annual report what needs to be reported to the churches as to general Baptist affairs.

NEUSE ASSOCIATION
O. L. Shackleford, Clerk
By Mrs. Shackleford
Kinston, N. C.
Box 69

	When Constituted	City (C), Town (T), Village (V), Country Church (O)	PASTORS AND POSTOFFICE	Regular Days of Meetings	Baptisms	Total Membership	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	Number of Schools	Total Enrolled	Total Number B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Enrolled in B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Woman's and Children's Organizations	Total Woman's Contributions All purposes	Pastor's Salary	Total Local Church Expenses Including Pastor's Salary	Given To Cooperative Program	Total For All Missions Including Program and Specials, (Designated Gifts to Missions, Orphans Home, Etc.	How Many Members Are Tithers?	Is Church On Budget For Local Expenses and all Missions?	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Sunday School Superintendents and Postoffices
Bethel				4											$	$	$	$	$			$	$	$	
Cabin	1916	O	N D. Blackman, Kinston	4		15	1	1	3	1	113	1	32			75.00	261.00		265.83			1,000.00		1,000.00	Roy Sanerson, Beulaville, R2
Davis Grove	1902	O	F. L. Israel, Fremont	1	2	58	1	4	3	1	50	1	25	1	24.00	178.50	248.17	44.42	292.59	1	Y	2,000.00		2,000.00	Dallas Taylor, Snow Hill
Emmeus	1830	O	H Pipkin, Mt. Olive	2	2	90	1	4		1	127					150.00	212.46		212.46			800.00		800.00	J W. Mozingo, Mt. Olive
Falling Creek	1848	O	E L. Parker, Goldsboro, R4	1	12	236	1	4		1	169			1	20.00	240.00	420.40	79.65	500.05			3,000.00		3,000.00	Claud C. Ricks, Goldsboro, R1
Fremont	1902	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	Every	2	52	1		3	1	60			2	32.80	400.00	519.40	58.18	570.58	2	Yes	10,000.00		10,000.00	C. B. Thomas, Fremont
Goldsboro, First	1843	C	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	1 & 3	41	1139	1	4	75	1	1079	8	161	6	936.47	4,000.00	8,581.54	3,115.15	11,696.69	55	Yes	100,000.00	16,000.00	116,000.00	R. V. Pate, Goldsboro
Goldsboro, Second	1893	C	C. J. Ellis, Goldsboro	1 & 3	10	143	1	4	5	1	221	3	59	1	559.00	550.00	1,218.72	21.50	1240.22	2	No	4,500.00		4,500.00	P. O. James, Goldsboro
Goldsboro, Bryan St.	1903	C	C. J. Ellis, Goldsboro	2		65	1		1	1	160	3	47	1		25.00	343.00		343.00			1,500.00		1,500.00	J. D. Whitley, Goldsboro
Grainger	1916	V	W. L. Billbro, Greenville		0	23	1	1	4	1	108					180.00	242.81	9.82	252.63			1,500.00		1,500.00	D. W. Hamilton, Kinston, R1
Hopewell	1906	O		4																					
Jordans Chapel		O	E L. Parker, Goldsboro, R4	2 & 4		53	1	4		1	44					60.00	78.00		78.00			2,000.00		2,000.00	W. M. Howell, Bentonville
Kennedy Home	1919	O	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	Every	9	156	0	1	7	1	160	5	109	5	240.50	120.00	249.59	748.98	998.57	28	Yes	3,500.00		3,500.00	E. W. Brogden, Kinston, R3
Kinston	1817	C	W. H. Moore, Kinston	2	19	734	0	12	45	1	570	4	110	2	972.88	4,000.00	10,872.81	2,442.93	13,315.24		Yes	100,000.00	6,000.00	106,000.00	A. F. Ramsey, Kinston
LaGrange	1853	T	F L. Israel, Fremont	2	7				0	1															
Mt. Nelson	1890	V	F. L. Israel, Fremont	1	7	75	1	3	1	1	118	2	30	1		300.00	406.65	5.78	412.43	1	No	3,000.00		3,000.00	John W. Davis, Eureka
New Hope	1894	O	N. D. Blackman, Kinston	4	3	112				1	54	1	33			79.15	150.15	8.35	158.50			3,000.00	1,500.00	4,500.00	David Cauley, Kinston, R1
Sandy Bottom	1902	O	N. D. Blackman, Kinston	3	9	17	1	2	1	1	40					116.75	130.25	60.05	190.30			1,000.00		1,000.00	Herman G. Croom, Kinston
Seven Springs	1891	V	N. D. Blackman, Kinston	3		22	1		2	1	104					75.00	105.00	15.00	120.00			2,000.00		2,000.00	
Snow Hill	1846	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	2	4	72	1	4	5	1	73	2	34	2	18.90	600.00	776.52	168.02	944.54		Yes	500.00		500.00	E J. Morgan, Snow Hill
Union	1827	O	N. D. Blackman, Kinston		3	77	1		4	1	123	2	40	2	25.00	390.00	580.24	61.03	641.27	4	Try	5,494.00		5,494.00	W. J. Rouse, Seven Springs
TOTAL					130	3169	15	48	159	19	3373	32	680	24	$1,856.67	$11,539.10	$25,396.71	$6,878.86	$32,232.90	93		$244,794.00	$23,500.00	$268,294.00	

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MINUTES

Of The

Neuse Baptist Association

Woman's Missionary Union

THE THIRD ANNUAL SESSION WAS HELD WITH UNION BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR, N. C., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1931.

Next Annual Session Will be Held With the First Baptist Church, Goldsboro, Wednesday, Nov. 2, 1932.

CONSTITUTION OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

(1) This body shall be styled "The Neuse Baptist Asscoiation."

(2) The Association shall consist of all the ordained Baptist minsters who are members or pastors of the churches composing this body, and of messengers chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church of fifty members or less shall be entitled to five messengers. A church with more than fifty members shall be entitled to five messengers for the first fifty members and one extra messenger for every twenty-five additional members; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers.

(3) It shall be the design of the Association to promote the Redemer's kingdom among mankind at home and thruoghout the world, in strict conformity to the Holy Scriptures.

(4) The officers of the Association shall be a moderator, a vice-moderator, a clerk-treasurer, associational superintendent of Sunday School work, associational superintendent of B. Y. P. U work, associational superintendent of Baptist Brotherhood work, and associational superintendent of Women Missionary union, all of whom shall be elected or ratified annually by the direct ballot of the Association. They shall assume their duties at the close of the session at which they are elected and shall serve throughout the ensuing year, closing with the adjournment of the next regular annual session.

(5) The moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution, and preserve order in accordance with Dr. Kerfoot's Parliamentary Law.

(6) The vice-moderator shall, in the absence of the moderator, preside over the Association and discharge the duties of the moderator's office.

(7) The clerk shall record the proceedings, and publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual report to the Association. He shall re-

ceive from the minute fund $20.00 for his services and $5.00 for contingent expenses.

(8) The treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and all collected during the session he shall pay out the same as designated by the donor or as ordered by the Association, and make a report each year.

(9) The Association at each annual meeting shall elect an Executive Committee consisting of nine members upon the nomination of a nominating committee consisting of a chairman and vice-chairman and in addition three persons representing respectively, Wayne, Lenoir and Greene Counties, and one person representing each of the following organizations: the Woman's Missionary Union, the Sunday School, the Baptist Young Peoples Union, Baptist Brotherhood, whose term of office shall extend through the ensuing year until their successors shall have been elected. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Secretary-Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the executive committee without the privilege of voting. Four members of the executive committee shall constitute a quorum. They shall co-operate with all general work fostered by the Baptist State Convention. It shall be the duty of this committee to make personal investigations of all churches applying for aid and arrange such a budget of support for individual churches or groups of churches, as they may deem worthy, when means of such support shall be at their disposal. And to supply religious work wherever needed. It shall be the duty of this committee to call any meeting in our Association that they think will advance the work of the Kingdom.

(10) Churches contemplating making debts, for lots, buildings or improvements, must seek first the approval of the executive committee if they expect to obtain aid from the General Board in paying for same.

(11) The messengers from each church shall bear to the annual meeting of the Association a letter certifying their appointment and preceeding the annual session of the Association.

(12) The annual session of the Association shall begin on Wed-

nesday, after the first Lord's Day in November, provided, the Executive Committee of the Association may change the time or place of meeting or call a special session of the Association, if necessity demand it, at such place and hour as may be chosen.

(13) New churches may be received into the Association of any annual session, if found to be orthodox.

(14) At each annual session there shall be delivered an address by some one selected by the executive committee.

(15) This constitution may be amended at any annual session by two-thirds of the members present when the vote is taken.

OFFICERS OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Moderator—Dr. B. W. Spilman ..... Kinston, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—Rev. A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Clerk-Treasurer—O. L. Shackelford ..... Kinston, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

S. F. Teague, Chairman & S. S. ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
W. M. Herbert, Vice-Chairman ..... Kinston, N. C.
Miss Ruth Burke ..... LaGrange, N. C.
S. C. Casey ..... Dudley, N. C., R. F. D.
J. E. Debnam ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Mrs. J. C. Hough, W. M. U. ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Mrs. J. B. Stallings, Sunday School ..... Eureka. N. C.
Miss Margaret Whittington ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Col. E. H. Bain, Brotherhood ..... Goldsboro, N. C.

Ex-Officio

Dr. B. W. Spilman, Moderator ..... Kinston, N. C.
Rev. A. J. Smith, Vice-Moderator ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
O. L. Shackelford, Clerk-Treasurer ..... Kinston, N. C.

OFFICERS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Superintendent—Mrs. J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Assistant Supt.—Mrs. A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Secretary-Tresaurer—Mrs. L. O. Hays ..... Fremont
Junior Leader—Mrs. B. R. Hunter ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Mission Study—Mrs. R. W. Isley ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Personal Service—Mrs. G. L. Mewborn ..... LaGrange, N. C.

PASTORS

W. W. L. Bilbro ..... Greenville
W. H. Moore ..... Kinston
E. L. Parker ..... Goldsboro, R. F. D.
Wm. L. Parker ..... Goldsboro
Howard Pipkin ..... Mt. Olive
A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro
F. L. Isreal ..... Fremont
C. J. Ellis ..... Goldsboro
B. G. Early ..... Kinston

ORDAINED MINISTERS (Not Pastors)

B. W. Spilman ..... Kinston
J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, Route No. 4
R. L. Pugh ..... Fort Barnwell
F. L. Harris ..... Kinston

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND POSTOFFICES

Bethel .....
Cabin—Roy Sanerson ..... Beulaville, R2
Davis Grove—Mrs. A. W. Williams ..... Snow Hill
Emmeus—J. W. Mozingo ..... Mt. Olive
Falling Creek—Claud C. Ricks ..... Goldsboro, R4
Fremont—Mrs. Frank Hull ..... Fremont

Goldsboro, First—R. V. Pate ..... Goldsbroo
Goldsboro, Second—R. P. Hardy ..... Goldsboro
Goldsboro, Bryant St.—J. D. Whitley ..... Goldsboro
Grainger—D. W. Hamilton ..... Kinstno, R1
Hopewell .....
Jordan's Chapel—Robert Moon ..... Bentonvlle
Kennedy Home—E. W. Brogden ..... Kinston, R3
Kinston—A. F. Ramsey ..... Kinston
LaGrange—H. T. Abbott ..... LaGrange
Mt. Nelson—John W. Davis ..... Eureka
New Hope—David Caulye ..... Kinston, R4
Sandy Bottom—Mrs. R. P. Croom ..... Kinston, R. F. D.
Seven Springs—J. B. Parks ..... Seven Springs
Snow Hill—J. E. Debnam ..... Snow Hill
Union—W. J. Rouse ..... Seven Springs

SUNDAY, MARCH 29th, 1931

The first sectional meeting of the Neuse Baptist Association as adopted by the Association at the annual meeting in November, 1930, was held with Emmeus Church, and called to order by the Moderator, B. W. Spilman.

Dr. Charles E. Maddry's prayer, closing the Sunday School, was accepted as the devotional in the absence of Rev. E. L. Parker, who was on the program.

The following visitors was recognized: Dr. Chas. E. Madry, Raleigh; Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel, Buies Creek; Eugene Roberts, Bristol, Virginia.

A registration of the members of the Baptist Churches in the Association who were present was taken.

In the absence of the Vice-Moderator, S. F. Teague was called to the chair and presented Dr. B. W. Spilman, who made one of the most interesting talks on Home Missions. He gave us a historical outline of the different denominations of Evangelical Christians who came to this country for religious freedom and settled

in their respective places, from the shores of New England to the Keys of Florida, and laid stress on the fact that it was up to us to do our part in holding the territory.

Dr. Chas. E. Maddry was presented, and in his preliminary remarks suggested that a copy of our sectional program be sent to the Recorder for publication, hoping that the other Associations adopt a similar program. He then delivered a most powerful sermon on the subject "A Changeless Christ and a Changing World," and his text was taken from Romans 13-8.

Without a motion the Moderator adjourned the meeting for a picnic dinner spread on the ground.

The afternoon session was called to order by the Moderator, and the devotional consisted of congregational singing and prayer by Rev. E. L. Parker.

On motion the program was changed and Mrs. J. C. Hough, Pres. of the W. M. U. was called to the chair, and presented Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel, of Buies Creek, who gave some very striking personal experiences in the work of the W. M. U.

The Moderator returned to the chair, and presented Dr. A. Paul Bagby, of Wilson, N. C., who delivered a very impressive sermon on the subject "Where is thy God?" Reading for the scripture lesson Psalms 141-142.

On motion by J. C. Hough, the clerk was ordered to give Goldsboro's First and Kinston's First churches a special invitation to attend the meeting at Kennedy Home the fifth Sunday in May.

On motion, after a rising vote of thanks to Emmeus Church and community for the splendid reception which we received, the association adjourned to meet again at Kennedy Home, Sunday, May 31st.

O. L. SHACKELFORD, Clerk-Treas.

THE SECOND FIFTH SUNDAY ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING, HELD WITH THE KENNEDY CHURCH ON MAY 30, 1931

Meeting was called to order by Dr. B. W. Spilman, Moderator. At the close of the Sunday School and after the devotional, the roll call of the churches, and the enrollment of delegates was completed, the topic for discussion was the Sunday School Work in B. Y. P. U., J. C. Hough presiding over the Sunday School Work. Special music was rendered by the Kennedy Home Choir. Brief reports from the Sunday School Group Superintendents were read, after which the Association was addressed by Mr. Perry Morgan, State Sunday School Secretary, on "Sunday School Work."

After Mr. Morgan's address, the Association was favored by a vocal solo by Miss Margaret Whittington, of Snow Hill, N. C.

11:45 The Association was addressed by Dr. B. W. Spilman, Corresponding Secretary of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

12:30 The Association adjourned, and lunch was spread picnic fashion, accompanied by barbecue supplied by the Kennedy Home.

Afternoon session was called by the Moderator, Dr. B. W. Spilman, at which time the B. Y. P. U. work was discussed with Mr. H. C. Bowers, presiding over the business session. A report was made by Mr. Bowers, who is President of the B. Y. P. U. Work in the Association.

2:30 The Association was again favored with a vocal solo by Miss Margaret Whittington.

2:45 An address on "B. Y. P. U. Work" was given by Rev. W. I. Covart, of Greenville, N. C.

3:30 The Kennedy Home Choir furnished special music.

After the report of the committees and the congregational singing, the Association adjourned to meet with the Snow Hill Baptist Church on August 30, 1931.

THIRD FIFTH SUNDAY ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING OF THE NEUSE ASSOCIATION MET WITH THE SNOW HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, ON AUGUST 30, 1931

In the absence of the Moderator, J. C. Hough presided. Topics for discussion was the Benevolenee Work on the Denomination. The devotional was led by the Rev. F. L. Israel, of Fremont, N. C. After the devotional, a very impressive program was rendered by the children from the Kennedy Home.

Miss Ada Smith, of the Kennedy Home, gave a story in her own words of life in an Orphanage. It was so impressive that after the meeting adjourned, a layman made a free will offering of ten dollars to the orphanage with the understanding that the check, after being cancelled, should be given to Miss Smith as a souvenir of her first efforts at a public speaking in behalf of the orphanage life.

After the program of the children from the Kennedy Home, R. W. Covington, Treasurer of Mills Home, addressed the Association on "Orphanage Work, its Needs, and also Obligations."

12:30 The Association adjourned for a picnic lunch, served in the Communty Building.

Afternoon session convened at 2:00 P. M.

In the absence of Rev. B. G. Early, who was on the program for the devotional, the Association was favored with a vocal solo by Miss Margaret Whittington, of Snow Hill, N. C.

2:15 The Association was addressed by Dr. T. J. Watts of Dallas Texas, Secretary of the Relief and Aunuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. His discussion was centered around the Old Minister's Relief Fund.

3:00 Dr. Charles E. Maddry addressed the Association on the Every Member Canvas and the Livingston Johnson Memorial Program.

The following committee was appointed to cooperate with the

various churches in the Association on the Every Member Canvas, beginning November 29th, and closing December 6th.

Mr. J. C. Hough	Kinston, N. C., Route 3
Miss Margaret Whittington	Snow Hill, N. C.
Mr. A. V. Washburn	Goldsboro, N. C.
Rev. W. H. Moore	Kinston, N. C.
Dr. A. J. Smith	Goldsboro, N. C.
Rev. B. G. Early	Kinston, N. C. Route 4
Mrs. R. W. Isley	Snow Hill, N. C.
Mrs. J. C. Hough	Kinston, N. C., Route 3
Mr. Edgar H. Bain	Goldsboro, N. C.
Mr. Samuel Casey	Dudley, N. C.

After the benediction, the Association adjourned to meet with the Union Baptist Church on November 4th for the Annual Meeting of the Association.

THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE NEUSE ASSOCIATION MET WITH THE UNION BAPTIST CHURCH WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1931.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. B. W. Spilman, Moderator, who also led the devotional. After the devotional, the roll call of the churches followed, and the following churches were represented: Bethel, Cabin, Davis Grove, Emmeus, Falling Creek, Fremont, Goldsboro First, Goldsbroo Second, Graingers, Jordan's Chapel, Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mount Nelson, New Hope, Sandy Bottom, Seven Springs, and Union.

The following visitors were recognized: R. E. Tripp, Falling Creek; E. C. Chamblee, Buie's Creek; Rev. Elbert N. Johnson, Mount Olive; Dr. W. R. Cullom, Wake Forest, and L. R. Evans.

The following messengers were present:

Bethel—Charles and Miss Iris Tyndall.

Cabin—J. W. Kennedy and Miss Ermy Sanderson.

Davis Grove—Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Taylor, and Mrs. A. W. Williams.

Emmeus—J. W. Mozingo and S. C. Casey.

Falling Creek—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Best and Mr. T. I. Sutton.

Fremont—Mrs. Frank Hill and Mrs. F. L. Peacock.

Goldsboro First—Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, J. D. Whitley, and S. F. Teague.

Goldsboro Second—Mrs. W. R. K. Butler, Mrs. Ada Hinson, and Mrs. Walter Johnson.

Granger—R. S. Hamilton.

Jordan's Chapel—None.

Kenndey Home—E. W. Brogden and Mrs. B. R. Hunter.

Kinston—W. H. Moore, W. M. Herbert, O. L. Shackleford, Miss Bettie Brown, and Mrs. J. E. Bowling.

LaGrange—Mrs. R. H. Mewborn, Mrs. H. T. Abbott, Mrs. R. M. Adams.

Mt. Nelson—J. W. Davis, J. R. Allen, Mrs. A. B. Davis, and Mrs. J. B. Stallings.

New Hope—Mrs. W. S. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Croom.

Sandy Bottom—J. J. Croom and Clyde Taylor.

Seven Springs—Mrs. W. G. Sutton, Mrs. M. J. Quinn, Mrs. W. R. Gibb, and Royle Kornegay.

Snow Hill—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Debnam and Mrs. F. C. Albritton.

Union—Mrs. H. I. Davis, Miss Nellie Davis, Sam Hines.

Brother S. F. Teague, of the Goldsboro Church, was called to the chair, and B. W. Spilman presented the following resolutions:

Whereas it is desirable to have at the sessions of the Association as many messengers as possible, therefore, Be it Resolved:

That Articles (1), (2), and (3) be as follows:

1. The Neuse Baptist Association shall consist of messengers provided annually by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to representation in the Association by its pastor, and by all ordained ministers who hold membership in the church and by ten additional members. In addition to this representation, the churches shall be entitled to one representative for every twenty-five members or major fraction thereof.

2. That the Executive Committee shall as soon as practicable arrange for all of the sessions of the Association for the year 1932.

3. That the Executive Committee provide some plan looking to an increase in the number of messengers who shall attend the sessions of the Association.

On motion, the resolutions were adopted in order 1, 2, and 3, by ballot of the Association.

After the adoption of the above resolutions, B. W. Spilman, Moderator, took the chair.

J. C. Hough, of the Kennedy Home, discussed the outline of the committees that had been appointed from the different churches of the Association on the "Every Member Canvas" beginning November 29, and closing December 6. Elbert N. Johnson, of Mount Olive, delivered a very impressive message on the "Every Member Canvas" movement that is to be launched on the above mentioned date by the entire Southern Baptist Convention.

On motion, the following committee was appointed: E. L. Parker, chairman; Mrs. R. E. L. Rhodes, L. H. Sanderson, Mrs. F. C. Albritton, J. W. Mozingo, who were to nominate the Executive Committee for the ensuing year.

Dr. W. R. Cullom delivered an address on the needs of Christian Education.

On motion, A. J. Smith was appointed to take charge of the Assembly of a presbytery, consisting of all ordained ministers and deacons to sit at the ordination services immediately upon the reconvening after the noon hour, at which time Brother R. E. Tripp, of Falling Creek, and Brother Edward C. Chamblee, of Buie's Creek, were to be ordained as ministers of the gospel.

On motion, the meeting adjourned for a picnic dinner which was served on the grounds.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Association reconvened at 1:30, and on motion the order of business was changed and adopted as outlined by S. F. Teague, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

B. G. Early discussed denominational literature and laid stress on the State's denominational paper, the Biblical Recorder.

Brother A. J. Smith, of the Goldsboro First Church, took the chair and called the presbytery to the rostrum, at which time Brother Parker presented in a letter from the Buie's Creek Baptst Church and from the Falling Creek Baptist Church, a request that these two Brothers, R. E. Tripp and E. C. Chamblee, be ordained at the meeting of the Association. B. W. Spilman delivered the charge, W. H. Moore, pastor of the Kinston Church, presented the candidates wth Bibles, and Dr. W. R. Cullom, of Wake Forest, led the ordination prayer.

S. F. Teague, of Goldsboro, read a report of the Executive Committee which outlined the general meetings and work of the committee during the past year. In the absence of Mrs. J. C. Hough, Brother Teague also read the report of the W. M. U.

J. C. Hough, who had resigned at a previous meeting of the Association as Associational Superintendent of Sunday Schools, made a few remarks in the form of a report on Sunday School Work.

Brother H. C. Bowers, who also resigned as Associational Superintendent of the B. Y. P. U., made a few remarks in the form of a report in the absence of Miss Margaret Whittington, who was elected to take the place of Mr. Bowers as Associational Superintendent of B. Y. P. U. Work.

On motion by W. H. Moore, Brother Early was empowered to cast the ballot for the Association for the re-election of the following officers: B. W. Spilman, Moderator; Rev. A. J. Smith, Vice Moderator; O. L. Shackelford, Clerk-Treasurer.

A report of the committee, E. L. Parker, John Mozingo, Mrs.

R. E. L. Rhodes, on the nomination of the Executive Committee was as follows: The existing committee was to remain as it now stands with the following changes: the name of Mrs. J. B. Stallings be inserted in the place of that of J. C. Hough; and that of Miss Margaret Whittington in the place of H. C. Bowers. That in addition to being chairman of the Executive Committee, S. F. Teague was also appointed Asscoiational Superintendent of the Sunday School Work.

On motion, a resolution by J. D. Debnam was alopted as follows: Be it resolved that the thanks of this Association be and are hereby extended to the membership of Union Baptist Church, and the good people of this community for the splendid dinner sreved on the church grounds. And also for the spirit of brotherly love and kindness as shown in the hospitality of the day.

On invitaton the Sectional Associations will meet as follows: The fifth Sunday in January at the First Church in Kinston; the fifth Sunday in May at Fremont Church; the fifth Sunday in July at the Sandy Bottom Church; and the annual meeting of the Association in November will be held with the First Baptist Church at Goldsboro.

Rev. A. J. Smith, of Goldsboro, delivered the closing address of the Asociation on the "Every Member Canvas".

Upon motion by Rev. E. L. Parker, of Falling Creek, the Association adjourned.

The closing prayer was led by J. C. Hough.

NEUSE ASSOCIATION O. L. Shackleford, Clerk Kinston, N. C. Box 69	When Constituted	City (C), Town (T), Village (V), Country Church (O)	PASTORS AND POSTOFFICES	Regular Days of Meetings	Baptisms	Total Membership	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	Number of Schools	Total Enrolled	Total Number B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Enrolled in B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Woman's and Children's Organizations	Total Woman's Contributions All Purposes
Bethel															$
Cabin	1916	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	4	2	20	1	1	0	1	125	0	0	0	
Davis Grove	1920	O	F. L. Israel, Fremont	4	2	59	0	4	0	1	38	1	18	0	
Emmeus	1890	O	H. Pipkin, Mt. Olive	1	0	86	1	11	0	1	102	0	0	0	
Falling Creek	1848	O	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	1	4	244	1	4	6	1	245	0	0	0	
Fremont	1902	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	1	0	42	0	2	3	1	53	0	0	2	46.59
Goldsboro, First	1843	C	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	Every	24	1143	2	4	60	1	1079	1	1203	6	899.70
Goldsboro, Second	1893	C		1 & 3	0	134	1	2	5	1	216	4	0	1	34.00
Goldsboro, Bryant St.	1903	C													
Grainger	1916	V	W. L. Bilbro, Greenville	2	0	22	0	1	0	1	92	0	0	0	
Hopewell	1906	O													
Jordan's Chapel		O	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	4	0	48	1	4	0	1	44	0	0	0	
Kennedy Home	1919	O	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	Every	21	178	0	3	7	1	179	5	115	5	421.62
Kinston	1817	C	W. H. Moore, Kinston	Every	12	752	0	12	0	1	527	4	65	2	594.42
LaGrange	1853	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	4	3	93	0	4	0	1	76	1	15	1	96.50
Mt. Nelson	1890	V	F. L. Israel, Fremont	2	8	77	1	4	1	1	70	1	34	0	
New Hope	1894	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	1 & 2	4	117	0	0	2	1	33	1	14	0	
Sandy Bottom	1902	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	1 & 3	1	48	1	3	1	1	46	0	0	0	
Seven Springs	1891	V	B. G. Early, Kinston	3 & 1	0	22	0	0	0	1	90	0	0	0	
Snow Hill	1846	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	3	0	71	0	4	4	1		3	48	2	25.22
Union	1827	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	2 & 4	0	76	1	1	0	1	138	2	33	1	

	Pastor's Salary	Total Local Church Expense Including Pastor's Salary	Gifts to Co-operative Program	Total for all Missions Including Program and Specials or Designated Gifts to Missions, Orphans' Home, Etc.	How Many Members Are Tithers?	Is Church On Budget For Local Expenses and all Missions?	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property
Bethel	$	$	$	$			$	$	$
Cabin	94.00	109.00		136.95	0	0	700.00		800.00
Davis Grove	300.00	365.87	51.20	472.31	1	0	2,000.00		2,000.00
Emmeus	187.70	197.70		203.70	0	0	800.00		800.00
Falling Creek	240.00	272.00		332.00	0	0	3,000.00		3,000.00
Fremont	300.00	366.84	31.74	435.13	0	0	10,000.00		10,500.00
Goldsboro, First	3,632.00	4,523.93	1,306.06	10,547.28	60	Yes	100,000.00	16,000.00	116,000.00
Goldsboro, Second	300.00	391.00	11.00	730.91	1	0	4,500.00		4,500.00
Goldsboro, Bryant St.									
Grainger	180.00			192.66	0	0	1,500.00		1,500.00
Hopewell									
Jordan's Chapel	25.00	26.00		26.00	1	0	2,000.00		2,000.00
Kennedy Home	120.00	176.97	242.65	1,041.12	25	Yes	3,500.00		3,500.00
Kinston	3,000.00	7,171.50	1,053.10	9,138.73	0	Yes	100,000.00	6,000.00	106,000.00
LaGrange	300.00	853.23	52.50	1,039.18	0	Yes	8,000.00	2,000.00	10,000.00
Mt. Nelson	250.00			264.28	0	0	3,000.00		3,000.00
New Hope	75.00	118.37	13.17	128.54	0	0	3,000.00	1,500.00	4,500.00
Sandy Bottom			15.00	35.65	0	0	1,000.00		1,000.00
Seven Springs	55.25		32.50	93.45	0	0	2,000.00		2,000.00
Snow Hill	350.00	132.15	71.20	785.27	0	Yes	500.00		500.00
Union	144.68	559.82	27.50	819.02	4	0	5,494.00		5,494.00

From B. W. Spilman.

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CONSTITUTION OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

(1) This body shall be styled "The Neuse Baptist Association."

(2) The Association shall consist of all the ordained Baptist ministers who are members or pastors of the churches composing this body, and of messengers chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church of fifty members or less shall be entitled to five messengers. A church with more than fifty members shall be entitled to five messengers for the first fifty members and one extra messenger for every twenty-five additional members; provided that no church shall have more than ten members.

(3) It shall be the design of the Association to promote the Redeemer's kingdom among mankind at home and throughout the world, in strict conformity to the Holy Scriptures.

(4) The officers of the Association shall be a moderator, a vice-moderator, a clerk-treasurer, associational superintendent of Sunday School work, associational superintendent of B. Y. P. U. work, associational superintendent of Baptist Brotherhood work, and associational superintendent of Women Missionary Union, all of whom shall be elected or ratified annually by the direct ballot of the Association. They shall assume their duties at the close of the session at which they are elected and shall serve throughout the ensuing year, closing with the adjournment of the next regular annual session.

(5) The moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution, and preserve order in accordance with Dr. Kerfoot's Parliamentary Law.

(6) The vice-moderator shall, in the absence of the moderator, preside over the Association and discharge the duties of the moderator's office.

(7) The clerk shall record the proceedings, and publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual report to the Association. He shall receive from the minute fund $20.00 for his services and $5.00 for contingent expenses.

(8) The treasurer shall receive all funds sent to the Association by the churches and all collected during the session he shall pay out the same as designated by the donor or as ordered

by the Association, and make a report each year.

(9) The Association at each annual meeting shall elect an Executive Committee consisting of nine members upon the nomination of a nominating committee consisting of a chairman and vice-chairman and in addition three persons representing respectively, Wayne, Lenoir and Greene Counties, and one person representing each of the following organizations: The Woman's Missionary Union, The Sunday School, The Baptist Young Peoples Union, Baptist Brotherhood, whose term of office shall extend through the ensuing year until their successors shall have been elected. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Secretary-Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the executive committee without the priviledge of voting. Four members of the executive committee shall constitute a quorum. They shall co-operate with all general work fostered by the Baptist State Convention. It shall be the duty of this committee to make personal investigations of all churches applying for aid and arrange such a budget of support for individual churches or groups of churches, as they may deem worthy, when means of such support shall be at their disposal. And to supply religious work wherever needed. It shall be the duty of this committee to call any meeting in our Association that they think will advance the work of the Kingdom.

(10) Churches contemplating making debts, for lots, buildings or improvements, must seek first the approval of the executive committee if they expect to obtain aid from the General Board in paying for same.

(11) The messengers from each church shall bear to the annual meeting of the Association a letter certifying their appointment and preceeding the annual session of the Association.

(12) The annual session of the Association shall begin on Wednesday, after the first Lord's Day in November, provided, the Executive Committee of the Association may change the time or place of meeting or call a special session of the Association, if necessity demands it, at such place and hour as may be chosen.

(13) New churches may be received into the Association of any annual session, if found to be orthodox.

(14) At each annual session there shall be delivered an address by some one selected by the executive committee.

(15) This constitution may be amended at any annual session by two-thirds of the members present when the vote is taken.

OFFICERS OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Moderator—Dr. B. W. Spilman ..... Kinston, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—Rev. A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Clerk-Treasurer—O. L. Shackelford ..... Kinston, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

S. F. Teague. Chairman & S. S. ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
W. M. Herbert, Vice-Chairman ..... Kinston, N. C.
Miss Ruth Burke ..... LaGrange, N. C.
Mr. Sam C. Casey ..... Dudley, N. C., R. F. D.
J. E. Debnam ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Mrs. J. C. Hough, W. M. U. ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
T. I. Sutton, Brotherhood ..... Goldsboro, N. C., R. F. D.
Miss Lillian Aldridge, B. Y. P. U. ..... LaGrange, N. C.
Col. E. H. Bain ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Eugene E. Roberts, Christian Education ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
H. C. Bowers, Social Service ..... Goldsboro, N. C., R. F. D.

PROGRAM AND PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

B. W. Spilman, Moderator, ex-Officio ..... Kinston, N. C.
Rev. A. J. Smith, Vice-Moderator, ex-Officio ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
O. L. Shackelford, Clerk-Treasurer, ex-Officio ..... Kinston, N .C.
Miss Margaret Whittington ..... Snow Hill, N. C.

DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION

Mrs. J. A. Powers ..... Kinston, N. C.
Mrs. J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Mr. J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.

OFFICERS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Superintendent—Mrs. J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Assistant Supt.—Mrs. A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. D. D. Chrisman ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Junior Leader—Mrs. Fred Harrell ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Mission Study—Mrs. R. W. Isley ..... SnowHill, N. C.
Personal Service—Mrs. G. L. Mewborn ..... LaGrange, N. C.

PASTORS

R. L. Pough ..... Dover, N. C.

T. C. Johnson	Kinston, N. C.
E. L. Parker	Goldsboro, N. C., R. F. D.
Howard Pipkin	Mt. Olive, N. C.
A. J. Smith	Goldsboro, N. C.
F. L. Isreal	Fremont, N. C.
B. G. Early	Kinston, N. C.
John Dillahunt	Kinston, N. C.
T. J. Hood	Goldsboro, N. C.

ORDAINED MINISTERS (Not Pastors)

B. W. Spilman	Kinston, N. C.
J. C. Hough	Kinston, N. C., Route No. 4
F. L. Harris	Kinston, N. C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND POSTOFFICERS

CHURCH	SUPERINTENDENT OF S. S.
Bethel	Robert Howard, Pink Hill
Cabin	E. B. Bishop, Beaulaville
Davis Grove	Mrs. A. W. Williams, Stantonsburg
Emmeus	J. W. Mozingo, Dulley
Fremont	Mrs. Frank Hull, Fremont
Falling Creek	C. C. Ricks, Goldsboro, R. 1
Goldsboro, First	Mr. R. V. Pate, Goldsboro
Goldsboro, Second	Cullen Langston, Goldsboro
Goldsboro, Bryan St.	J. D. Whitley, Goldsboro
Graingers	D. W. Hamilton, Kinston, R. 1
Jordan's Chapel	David Jernigan, Mt. Olive, R. 3
Hopewell	Zeb Grady, Dudley, R. 2
Kennedy Home	E. W. Brogden, Kinston, R. 3
Kinston	Mrs. J. A. Powers, Kinston
LaGrange	C. C. Aldridge, LaGrange
Mt. Nelson	John W. Davis, Stnatonsburg
New Hope	David Cauley, Kinston, R. 4
Sandy Bottom	Mrs R. P. Croom, Kinston
Seven Springs	J. B. Parks, Seven Springs
Snow Hill	J. E. Debnam, Snow Hill
Union	W. Joel Rouse, Seven Springs

FIRST SECTIONAL MEETING OF THE NEUSE ASSOCIATION WAS HELD WITH THE LaGRANGE BAPTIST CHURCH, LaGRANGE, NORTH CAROLINA, SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 1932.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, B. W. Spilman, and the devotional was led by T. J. Hood.

The rolls of all the churches was taken and the following churches were represented: Falling Creek, Fremont, Goldsboro First, Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mount Nelson, Sandy Bottom, Snow Hill, and Union.

The subject for discussion at the meeting was "Brotherhood Work and Missions." Colonel E. H. Bain, of Goldsboro, made a very interesting talk on the possibilities of Brotherhood Work.

In the absence of Miss Nancy McDaniel, of Soochow, China; Dr. B. W. Spilman gave a very interesting talk on the founding of mission work in China and Japan.. At the close of his talk, he presented Miss Helen Dozier, of Fukuoka, Japan, who is at present a junior at Meredith College, but who was born and raised in Japan, where her father and mother have spent years in the mission work. She presented a very interesting, detailed talk covering several phases of the mission work, from the Kindergarden to the College work.

On motion, the meeting adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order by the Moderator B. W. Spilman, at one thirty o'clock.

Regrets were expressed because of the going of the Rev. W. H. Moore, of the First Baptist Church of Kinston, from our association. He will take up his work in a new field at Wadesboro, North Carolina, at an early date.

A report from the general chairman of the Executive Committee, S. F. Teague, outlining the plans for the work in the association for the present year.

Discussion of the Brotherhood Movement was renewed, and Rev. E. L. Parker, Pastor of the Falling Creek Church, agreed to

try the work in his church as outlined by Brother Bain in the morning session.

The Moderator made a suggestion to the executive committee relative to the more extensive publicity of our work in the association.

Rev. A. J. Smith called attention, and laid before the association, the very earnest appeal for the Association cooperation in the emergency fund which is to be raised during the month of March to pay off the denominational debts of the State. The amount the Baptist State Convention has got to raise is $86,000.00.

Miss Helen Dozier gave a splendid talk on Japan at the morning session. She spoke briefly on the "Margaret Fund" and its benefits. She and her brother having been recipients of this fund during their stay in College.

Mrs. J. C. Hough, who has charge of the mission work in the Association, took charge.

Splendid reports by the leaders of the W. M. U. Organization were made.

The Association expressed a deep regret for the fact that Mrs. Finch of Rocky Mount, who was on the program for a speech on the W. M. U. failed to reach the meeting.

Since there was no other business to go before the Association, the Association adjourned until next Fifth Sunday Meeting.

B. W. SPILMAN, Moderator.

O. L. SHACKELFORD, Clerk-Treasurer.

THE SECOND SECTIONAL MEETING OF THE NEUSE ASSOCIATION MET WITH THE FREMONT CHURCH, FREMONT, N. C., ON MAY 29th

The meeting was called to order by B. W. Spilman, Moderator. The opening devotional was led by Brother Johnson.

Topics for discussion at this meeting were the Young People's Work and Sunday School Work of the denomination. Brother S. F. Teague was called to the chair and presided. The Falling Creek Church gave a demonstration of a modern Sunday School.

Dr. B. W. Spilman gave a lecture on how to prepare the Sunday School lesson.

Brother J. C. Pate, Secretary of the First Baptist Church Sunday School, Goldsboro, gave a demonstration and outlined the six point record system.

J. E. Debnam, Snow Hill, gave some interesting points in the B. Y. P. U. Work.

The roll call was called and the following churches were represented:

Davis Grove, Emmeus, Fremont, Goldsboro (First), Goldsboro (Second), Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mt. Nelson, New Hope and Snow Hill.

Upon motion the convention adjourned for a picnic dinner on the grounds.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was again called to order by B. W. Spilman, who also led the devotional.

The afternoon session was devoted entirely to the work of the B. Y. P. U. Miss Margaret Whittington, of Snow Hill, gave a demonstration of the Sword Drill.

Mr. Denmark, of the First Baptist Church, Goldsboro, outlined a regular B. Y. P. U. quiz. Mrs. Washburn, of the First Baptist Church, Goldsboro, outlined the necessity of carrying your Bible to B. Y. P. U. and to Sunday School.

On motion the meeting adjourned until the next regular sectional meeting to be held with the Sandy Bottom Church, Lenoir County.

THE THIRD SECTIONAL MEETING OF THE NEUSE ASSOCIATION MET WITH THE SANDY BOTTOM CHURCH, LENOIR COUNTY, ON JULY 31th

The meetng was called to order by the Moderator, B. W. Spilman. The devotional music was led by Brother B. G. Early.

Dr. Spilman gave a very interesting discussion of Luke's con-

nection with Paul in his evangelistic work, explaining why Luke, a medical doctor, was called to Paul and in that way became interested and later joined Paul in his missionary work, and went to Macedonia.

Topics for discussion at the meeting were hospitals, the Mills Home, and Old Ministers Relief.

Dr. G. T. Lumpkin, Superintendent of the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., delivered an address on the hospital and its functions, and stated why denominational hospitals were a necessity.

Dr. M. L. Kesler, General Manager of the Mills Home, outlined the work and needs and activities of our Mills Home, Kennedy Memorial Home and Mothers' Aid Department.

On motion by J. C. Hough, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, there is no definite provision in the constitution for providing a program for each meeting of the Association, and no provision for publicity; and

"Whereas these matters can best be provided by a committee to be responsible for these two items.

"THEREFORE, be it Resolved,

"That the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Ex-Officio and two others be selected by the Association as a committee on program and publicity, the term of office to be from the adjournment of this session of the Association to the session in November, 1933, unless this action is declined by the Association prior to that time."

On motion by B. G. Early, the Moderator was to appoint additional committee.

The roll call was called and the following churches were represented:

Bethel, Emmeus, Falling Creek, Goldsboro (First), Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mt. Nelson, New Hope, Sandy Bottom, Seven Springs, Snow Hill and Union.

On motion, the Association adjourned for a picnic dinner on the grounds.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order by B. W. Spilman, Moderator, and a program was rendered by the Kennedy Home children.

Consideration of the Old Ministers' Relief was discussed and outlined by Mr. Hugh F. Lattiman, representative of the Relief Annuity Board at Asheville, N. C.

CALL MEETING OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ON SEPT. 29, 1932, AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, KINSTON, N. C.

The Association was called to order by Moderator, B. W. Spilman after devotional services, lead by the Moderator, the Association listened to an interesting discussion of the Every Member Canvas Plan by Perry Morgan. On motion, the Association selected the following as the promotion committee for the Association.

Rev. A. J. Smith	Goldsboro, N. C.
Rev. B. G. Early	Kinston, N. C., R. F. D.
Rev. E. L. Parker	Goldsboro, N. C., R. F. D.
Miss Ruth Burke	LaGrange, N. C.
James A. Powers	Kinston, N. C.
S. F. Teague	Goldsboro, N. C.
Miss Margaret Whittington	Snow Hill, N. C.
A. V. Washburn	Goldsboro, N. C.

Rev. T. C. Johnson, the new pastor of the First Baptist Church, Kinston, was introduced to the Association; Mr. Perry Morgan led the discussion of the Every Member Canvas Plans.

On motion the Association adjourned to meet at its annual meeting in Goldsboro on November 9th.

THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MET WITH THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, GOLDSBORO, N. C., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9th

The meeting was called to order by B. W. Spilman, Moderator. After the devotional, the meeting was lead in prayer by T. H. King, Clinton, N. C. The scripture reading was by B. W. Spilman. After the devotional, the roll call of the churches, and

the following chruches were represented:

The following visitors were recognized: Arch C. Cree, Salisbury, N. C.; W. O. Blount, Wilson, N. C.; W. R. Beech, Raleigh, N. C.—Biblical Recorder; E. N. Johnson, Mount Olive, N. C.; T. H. King, Clinton, N. C.;G. G. Page, Campbell's College, Buie's Creek, N. C.; C. H. Cashwell, Wendell, N. C.; Dr. Mercer, Wake Forest, N. C.

The following messengers were present:

BETHEL—Lesslie Tyndall, Chas. A. Tyndall.

CABIN—Mrs. Jay Kennedy, Jay Kennedy.

DAVIS GROVE—Dallas Taylor, M. P. Taylor.

EMMEUS—Norman Price, E. R. Casey, H. W. Stevens, Mr. C. W. Price, D. C. Ward, S. C. Casey.

FALLING CREEK—Sallie Belle Best, H. W. Stevens, Mr. C. W. Warrick.

FREMONT—Mrs. Frank Hull, Mrs. J. T. Winborn, Mrs. B. F. Aycock, Jr.

GOLDSBORO FIRST—Mrs. J. R. Crawford, Mrs. Andrew Smith, Mrs. J. C. Pate, Mrs. A. V. Washburn, E. H. Bain, H. B. Parker, George Norwood.

GOLDSBORO SECOND—Mrs. J. Z. Hinson, Miss Mary Hardison, Mrs. J. H. McClenney.

GOLDSBORO BRYAN ST.—J. C. Lewis, Mrs. Rosa Combs, K. N. Davis.

GRAINGER—

HOPEWELL—

JORDAN'S CHAPEL—G. K. Jordan, Cooper Bryan, Davis Jernigan.

KENNEDY HOME—E. W. Brogden, T. Theratt, Miss Laura Stillwell, Miss Gladys Poindexter.

KINSTON—J. E. Bowling, Mrs. J. E. Bowlng, Mrs T. C. Johnson.

LaGRANGE—Mrs. Sophia Mewborn, Mrs. R. M. Adams.

MT. NELSON—B. L. Wetherington, Mrs. J. B. Stallings, Miss Annie Mumford, Miss Louise Walston, Mrs. Butler Chase, Inez Davis, Mrs. B. L. Wethernigton.

NEW HOPE—Mrs. W. S. Sutton, Mrs. J. W. Sutton, Mr. B. G. Early, Mrs. B. G. Early.

SANDY BOTTOM—J. J. Croom, Clyde Taylor.

SEVEN SPRINGS—Mrs. W. R. Gibbs, Mrs. M. I. Quinn, Mrs. W. G. Sutton.

SNOW HILL—W. R. Bunn, W. W. Whittington, J. E. Debnam, Mrs. J. E. Debnam, Mrs. R. B. Christman, Mrs. R. W. Isley, Mrs. G. M. Lindsey, Mrs. J. T. Cobb, Mrs. Ben Albritton, Margaret Whittington.

UNION— Mrs. H. W. Davis, Mrs. Roland Davis, Miss Nellie Davis.

Brother W. R. Beech addressed the Association on "Denominational Periodicals." Brother S. F. Teague, Chairman of the Executive committee, made his report to the Association.

Brother Arch C. Cree addressed the Association on "State Missions and Cooperative Programs."

On motion the report of the Executive Committee was accepted.

On motion the Moderator appointed the following nominating committee to nominate the officers executive committee, program and publicity committee and the delegates to the State Convention:

E. L. Parker
Mrs. J. C. Hough
Mrs. J. A. Powers
Mr. F. L. Israel
H. B. Parker

Committee on places of meeting for 1933 as follows:

Dallas Taylor
R. H. Mewborn
J. Norman Price
T. Theratt
Mrs. Ben Sutton

On motion the Association adjourned for the afternoon recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, B. W. Spilman. Worship was lead in prayer by Dr. Mercer. G. G. Page, of Campbell College, was presented to the Association and discussed the advantages of the Junior College and Christian Education. Following Mr. Page, Dr. Mercer, of Wake Forest College, laid special stress on Christian Education in connection with business and professional education. The report of the committee on officers executive committees were read and accepted as shown in the preceding minutes. The report of the time and place com-

mittee reported and recommended the following places for the 1933 meetings: First meeting, Jan. 29, 1933, Mt. Nelson, Eureka, N. C. Second meeting, April 30 at Bethel, Lenoir County, N. C.; July 30, Falling Creek, Wayne County, N. C.; Annual meeting November 8, at Kinston, N. C.

On motion by Brother F. L. Israel, the Association extended its appreciation and thanks for the splendid entertainment that was furnished the Association by the three churches in Goldsboro: Goldsboro 1st, Goldsboro 2nd, and Goldsboro Bryan St. In the absence of Rev. A. J. Smith, who had been called away from the Association to attend a funeral, a special invitation was extended the Association by Mrs. A. J. Smith for all who could possibly remain over to attend the revival that was then going on in the Goldsboro 1st Church. On motion the Association adjourned to meet as above outlined by the time and place committee and adopted by the Association.

NEUSE ASSOCIATION O. L. Shackelford, Clerk Kinston, N. C. Box 69	When Constituted	City (C), Town (T), Village (V), Country (O)	PASTORS AND POSTOFFICES	Regular Days of Meetings	Baptisms	Total Membership	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	Number of Schools	Total Enrolled	Total Number B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Enrolled in B. Y. P. U.'s	Total Woman's and Children's Organizations	Total Woman's Contributions All Purposes
Bethel	1915	O	J. F. Dillahunt, Kinston	2	1	24	1	2	0	1	66	0	0	0	$
Cabin	1919	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	4	17	38	2	2	1	1	117	0	0	0	
Davis Grove	1902	O	F. L. Israel, Fremont	4	0	56	2	4	2	1	32	0	0	0	
Emmeus	1890	O	H. Pipkin, Mt. Olive	1st	0	89	1	4	0	1	97	0	0	0	
Falling Creek	1908	O	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	Ind.	8	261	1	4	0	1	226	0	0	0	
Fremont	1902	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	1st	13	54	1	3	1	1	62	1	15	1	32.34
Goldsboro, First	1912	C	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	Every	38	1171	1	4	60	1	958	11	229	6	
Goldsboro, Second	1893	C	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	1 & 3	5	112	1	3	3	1	193	1	14	1	
Goldsboro, Bryan St.	1910	V	George Hill, Goldsboro	2	1	0	1	3	0	1	123	0	0	0	
Grainger	1916	V	Diceased	2	0	22	0	0	0	1	116	0	0	0	
Hopewell	1907	O	H. C. Brown, Hopewell	2 & 4	2	0	1	0	0	1	50	1	20	1	
Jordan's Chapel	1903	O	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	4	11	61	1	3	0	1	57	0	0	1	3.00
Kennedy Home	1919	O	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	2 & 4	26	148	0	4	7	1	161	5	129	6	358.11
Kinston	1817	C	T. C. Johnson, Kinston	Every	21	753	1	12	0	1	400	4	67	1	
LaGrange	1853	T	R. L. Pugh, Dover	4	3	93	0	4	0	1	80	1	22	3	33.55
Mt. Nelson	1891	V	F. L. Israel, Fremont	2	0	77	1	4	3	1	71	2	28	1	
New Hope	1894	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	1 & 2	0	114	1	0	2	1	48	0	0	0	
Sandy Bottom	1903	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	1 & 3	0	45	1	3	1	1	62	0	0	0	
Seven Springs	1891	V	B. G. Early, Kinston	3	6	29	1	0	2	1	94	0	0	0	
Snow Hill	1856	T	F. L. Israel, Fremont	3	17	89	1	4	2	1	68	3	50	4	
Union	1928	O	B. G. Early, Kinston	2 & 4	5	80	1	1	3	1	100	2	24	0	

	Pastor's Salary	Total Local Church Expense Including Pastor's Salary	Gifts to Co-operative Program	Total for all Missions Including Program and Specials or Designated Gifts to Missions, Orphans' Home, Etc.	How Many Members Are Tithers?	Is Church On Budget For Local Expenses and all Missions?	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property
Davis Grove	$ 40.00	$ 53.00	$ 58.00	$ 58.00	0	0	$ 3,000.00	$	$ 3,000.00
Emmeus	90.00	144.50	13.67	158.17	0	0	800.00		800.00
Falling Creek	215.00	267.16	35.78	302.94	1	0	1,500.00		1,500.00
Fremont	110.00	134.46	2.50	110.96	0	0	800.00		800.00
Goldsboro, First	240.00	395.96	110.00	505.96	0	0	3,000.00		3,000.00
Goldsboro, Second	172.50	260.58	63.61	324.19	2	0	10,000.00		10,000.00
Bethel	3,222.35	7,806.10	1,417.32	9,223.42	50	Yes	100,000.00	16,000.00	116,000.00
Cabin	118.30	692.77	21.50	21.50	1	0	4,500.00		4,500.00
Goldsboro, Bryan St.	14.36	17.06	67.08	67.08	0	0	500.00		500.00
Grainger	180.00	214.75	10.38	225.13	0	0	1,500.00		1,500.00
Hopewell	60.00	74.20		74.20	0	0	1,000.00		1,000.00
Jordan's Chapel	60.00	89.00		92.00	0	0	1,500.00		1,500.00
Kennedy Home	119.50	292.80	809.84	1,102.64	25	Yes	3,500.00		3,500.00
Kinston	1,208.34	4,977.09	1,131.87	6,108.96	0	Yes	100,000.00	6,000.00	106,000.00
LaGrange	300.00	350.81	94.66	443.47	0	Yes	6,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00
Mt. Nelson	200.00	449.50	23.64	473.14	0	0	3,000.00		3,000.00
New Hope	100.00	128.17	14.95	143.12	0	0	3,000.00	1,500.00	4,500.00
Sandy Bottom	63.60	75.60	111.23	111.23	0	0	1,000.00	1,500.00	2,500.00
Seven Springs	71.50	109.00	24.00	133.00	0	0	2,000.00		2,000.00
Snow Hill	223.59	361.37	55.07	416.44	0	Yes	500.00		500.00
Union	177.12	351.57	93.72	445.29	2	No	4,494.80		4,494.80

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NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes, 1933

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CONSTITUTION OF NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

(1) This body shall be styled "The Neuse Baptist Association."

(2) The Association shall consist of all pastors and other ordained ministers in the association and of all persons present at the sessions of the association, who are members of Baptist churches affiliated with the association.

(3) It shall be the design of the Association to promote the Redeemer's kingdom among mankind at home and throughout the world in strict conformity to the Holy Scriptures.

(4) The officers of the association shall be a moderator, a vice-moderator, a clerk-treasurer, associational superintendent of Sunday School work, associational superintendent of B.Y.P.U. work, associational superintendent of Baptist Brotherhood work, and associational superintendent of Woman's Missionary Union, all of whom shall be elected or ratified annually by the direct ballot of the association. They shall assume their duties at the close of the session at which they are elected and shall serve throughout the ensuing year, closing with the adjournment of the next regular annual session.

(5) The moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution and preserve order in accordance with Dr. Kerfoot's Parlimentary Law.

(6) The vice-moderator shall, in the absence of the moderator, preside over the association and discharge the duties of the moderator's office.

(7) The clerk shall record the proceedings, and publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual report to the association. He shall receive from the minute fund $20.00 for his services and $5.00 for contingent expenses.

(8) The treasurer shall receive all funds sent to the association by the churches and all collected during the session. He shall pay out the same as designated by the donor or as ordered by the association, and make a report each year.

(9) The association at each annual meeting shall elect an Executive Committee consisting of 9 members upon the nomination of a nominating committee, consisting of a chairman and vice-chairman, and in addition three persons representing respectively Wayne, Lenoir, and Greene Counties, and one person representing each of the following organizations: the Woman's Missionary Union, the Sunday School, the Baptist Young People's Union, Baptist Brotherhood, whose term of office shall extend through the ensuing year until their sucessors shall have been elected. The Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Secretary-Treasurer of the association shall be ex-officio members of the executive committee without the privilege of voting. Four members of the executive committee shall constitute a quorum. They shall co-operate with all general work fostered by the Baptist State Convention. It shall be the duty of this committee to make personal investigations of all churches applying for aid and arrange such a budget of support for individual churches or groups of churches, as they may deem worthy, when means of such support shall be at their disposal. And to supply religious work wherever needed. It shall be the duty of this committee to call any meeting in our association that they think will advance the work of the Kingdom.

(10) Churches contemplating making debts, for lots, buildings, or improvements, must seek first the approval of the executive committee if they expect to obtain aid from the General Board in paying same.

(11) The messengers from each church shall bear to the annual meeting of the association a letter certifying their appointment and preceding the annual session of the Association.

(12) The association shall hold four sessions each year as follows: On the first three fifth Sundays in each year and on Wednesday following the first Sunday in November. If for any reason the executive committee shall deem it best to change the place or date of the meeting of the sessions, it shall have the privilege to do so.

(13) New churches may be received into the association at any annual session, if found to be orthodox.

(14) At each annual session there shall be delivered an address by someone selected by the program committee.

(15) This constitution may be amended at any annual session by two-thirds of the members present when the vote is taken.

OFFICERS OF THE NEUSE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

MODERATOR—J. A. Powers ..... Kinston, N. C.
VICE-MODERATOR—Rev. A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
CLERK-TREAS.—Rev. J. C. Hough .. Kennedy Home, Kinston, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

W. M. Herbert, Chairman ..... Kinston, N. C.
Lowel Taylor, Vice-Chairman ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Mrs. E. B. Marston, Lenoir County ..... Kinston, N. C.
Sam C. Casey, Wayne County ..... Dudley, N. C.
Dr. W. W. Whittington, Greene County ..... Snow Hill, N. C.
Mrs. Fred Harrell, W.M.U. ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
E. H. Bain ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
Clayton Rouse, B.Y.P.U. ..... Seven Springs, N. C., R.F.D.
Rev. T. Threatt, Christian Education .. Kennedy Home, Kinston, N. C.
Rev. H. C. Bowers, Social Service ..... Goldsboro, N. C.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Clerk.

CONVENTION DELEGATES

J. A. Powers, Rev. B. G. Early, Rev. T. C. Johnson

PASTORS

T. C. Johnson ..... Kinston, N. C.
E. L. Parker ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
A. J. Smith ..... Goldsboro, N. C., R. No. 4
H. C. Bowers ..... Goldsboro, N. C., R. No. 2
R. L. Pugh ..... Dover, N. C.
Howard Pipkin ..... Mt. Olive, N. C.
B. G. Earley ..... Kinston, N. C., R. No. 4

N. E. Gresham ..... Pinetops, N. C.
G. N. Ashley ..... Salemburg, N. C.

ORDAINED MINISTERS (Not Pastors)

Dr. B. W. Spilman ..... Kinston, N. C.
J. C. Hough ..... Kinston, N. C.
Eugene Roberts ..... Goldsboro, N. C.

The Neuse Association met for its first quarterly meeting on April 29, 1934, with the Seven Springs Church, and was called to order by the clerk, J. C. Hough. Song, "Wonderful Words of Life." The moderator, J. A. Powers, took the chair, and called on Rev. B. G. Early to lead the devotional. Dr. Spilman led in the opening prayer.

The roll was called and the following churches were represented: Bethel, Emmaus, Falling Creek, Goldsboro 1st, 2nd and Bryant Street, Hopewell, Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mt. Nelson, New Hope, Sandy Bottom, Seven Springs, Snow Hill, Union, and Grainger.

The clerk reported that an insufficient amount to print minutes had been received, but that a statistical report of the last year's work had been mimeographed, and this was passed out at this time.

We were favored with two musical numbers by the First Baptist Church of Kinston.

The topic for discussion at the morning hour was Home Missions, and the moderator presented Rev. N. E. Gresham, new pastor of the Snow Hill field. He presented this phase of the work in a most helpful manner.

Motion by Dr. B. W. Spilman, seconded by Rev. E. L. Parker, that we adjourn to reassemble at the call of the moderator to ordain Rev. H. C. Bowers, Jr. He explained that at the request of the First Baptist Church of Goldsboro, a presbytery of 16 elders and deacons had examined Brother Bowers on Tuesday, April 24th at the Kennedy Home, and that the church had called for his ordination at the hour set.

Dismissed by Rev. E. L. Parker.

AFTERNOON SESSION

At one o'clock, the meeting was called to order by J. A. Powers, moderator, and hymns, "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me" and "More Like the Master" were sung.

Due to the delay of some of the members of the presbytery, Mrs. Fred Harrell, W.M.U. Superintendent of the association was called to the chair, and asked to render her program. She spoke briefly, outlining three aims of the association for the year: (1) Organize more R.A.'s, and have a part in sending Dr. Vance back to Africa; (2) Support of a Bible woman on the foreign field; (3) Each church with organizations foster churches without organizations.

Mrs. Clarence Pope of Kinston spoke on Mission Study.

Rev. A. J. Smith called for all ordained ministers, pastors, and deacons present to organize a presbytery to proceed with the ordination of H. C. Bowers, Jr. On motion of Dr. Spilman, Rev. A. J. Smith was made chairman and E. H. Bain, secretary. The ordaining

council was composed of the following: Revs. A. J. Smith, E. L. Parker, B. G. Early, E. N. Johnson, John Dillahunt, T. Threatt, J. C. Hough, and Dr. B. W. Spilman. Deacons—C. C. Alderidge, J. P. Joyner, E. W. Brogden, H. B. Parker, E. H. Bain, S. F. Teague, E. C. Futrell, J. A. Powers, Josh Allen, Chas. Davis, H. W. Canady, J. H. King, J. H. McClenny, C. H. Langston, B. B. Wilson, Sam Casy, J. W. Mozingo.

Dr. Spilman presented the charge, J. A. Powers the Bible, and J. C. Hough led in the ordaining prayer.

Rev. E. N. Johnson of Mt. Olive delivered a masterful, and powerful address on Foreign Missions.

Special music by the Kennedy Home Choir.

Rev. A. J. Smith spoke for the W.M.U. on Foreign Missions and his message was most fitting.

Dr. Spilman made a motion that the matter of someone to fill E. J. Morgan's place on Executive Committee be referred to a committee consisting of the Moderator, Clerk and Chairman of the Executive Committee, with power to act.

Dismissed by Rev. A. J. Smith.

The second quarterly meeting of the Neuse Baptist Association for 1934, met with Bryant Street Church, Goldsboro, beginning at 10:30 o'clock on July 29. In the absence of the moderator, the meeting was called to order by the clerk, J. C. Hough. Several songs were sung, and Rev. H. C. Bowers conducted the devotional. Rev. H. Pipkin led in prayer preceding the devotional, and Rev. Hood afterward.

The topic for discussion was Sunday School work. Rev. J. C. Hough spoke on same, and this was followed by open forum discussions, taken part in by Rev. H. Pipkin, Rev. Hood, Rev. Stevens, a visitor from Calypso, Rev. John Dillahunt, Rev. E. L. Parker, Messrs. Mozingo, McClenny, and E. H. Parker.

Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldiers."

Dismissed with prayer by Rev. E. L. Parker.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting was called to order after the lunch hour, and after the singing of a hymn and a prayer, the enrollment was taken, and the following churches were represented: Bethel, Davis Grove, Emmaus, Falling Creek, Goldsboro, 1st, 2nd, Bryant St., Kennedy Home, Kinston, LaGrange, Mt. Nelson, Grainger.

Miss Lillian Aldridge, B.Y.P.U. associational leader had charge of the program. The topic was "Christ shall reign in our patriotism." Special music by the Kennedy Home children.

Devotional was led by Clayton Rouse, followed by a prayer by Rev. H. C. Bowers.

A little playlet, "The Alphabet Year" was given by the Goldsboro First B.Y.P.U.

Miss Aldridge read a poem—"The patriot" and spoke on patriotic citizenship.

After a song, and a vote of thanks to the Bryant Street Church for their hospitality and nice dinner, we were dismissed with prayer.

The third quarterly meeting of the Neuse Association for the year 1934 met with the Davis Grove Baptist Church on Sunday, Sept. 30th, at 10:30 A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the moderator, J. A. Powers. Devotional was led by Rev. N. E. Gresham.

Song—"Jesus Savior Pilot Me."

Supt. J. C. Hough of the Kennedy Home had charge of the program for the Orphanage hour. Special music was rendered by the Kennedy Home choir. Arnold Medford, a senior boy at the Kennedy Home told his own story of his life in the Orphanage. The three Frye sisters, Alise, Virginia and Esther then gave a special musical number. Mr. Hough spoke on the Orphanage, presenting its purpose and some results attained. Rev. H. C. Bowers, the Orphanage representative for the association presented a placard with the names of the churches, and the amount that had been paid by each since last year.

Dr. Spilman introduced Mr. Smith Hagamman, Superintendent of the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem. He delivered a most interesting message, in which he presented the opportunity of the church to render service to a broken-hearted world.

Hymn—"Higher Ground."

Dismissed by Rev. B. G. Early.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order at 1:30.

Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Mr. Powers extended an invitation to all the churches to attend a Sunday School meeting to be held at Kinston the following week, led by Dr. Clay I. Hudson.

Trio—Frye sisters of the Kennedy Home.

Rev. A. J. Smith of Goldsboro spoke on the Old Ministers' Relief.

Hymn—"Blest Be the Tie that Binds."

Dismissed with prayer.

The annual session of the Neuse Baptist Association met with the Grainger Baptist Church on November 7, 1934. The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by the moderator, J. A. Powers.

After a brief song service, the devotional was led by Rev. J. A. McMillan of Thomasville.

A memorial service was held for the late Rev. John Dillahunt, and J. E. Debnam.

An enrollment was taken and there were representatives from nearly all of the churches in the association.

The moderator appointed the Nominating Committee consisting of Rev. N. E. Gresham, Rev. T. C. Johnson, Rev. B. G. Early, Col. E. H. Bain, and Mrs. J. C. Hough.

On the Time and Place Committee he appointed, Dr. B. W. Spilman, Mr. Street Lee, and Mrs. Fred Harrell.

Motion by Dr. Spilman that changes be made in articles 2, 12, and 14 of the constitution.

Rev. N. E. Gresham was recognized as the only new pastor in the association for the year.

Among the visitors, Rev. Holloway of Beulaville, General Superintendent, I. G. Greer, and J. A. McMillan of Thomasville, and Mr. Page of Campbell College were recognized. Mr. Page spoke briefly on Campbell College.

Rev. T. C. Johnson of Kinston delivered a very fine address on the co-operative program.

General Superintendent Greer of the Mills Home, Thomasville, N. C. delivered the inspirational address.

Mr. J. M. Page was recognized, as the representative of the Biblical Recorder.

Mr. M. A. Huggins, State Secretary of Missions was recognized.

Dismissed with prayer.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called together at 1:30, and Rev. A. J. Smith had charge of the devotional, following a brief song service.

A digest of the church letters was given from the blackboard by Rev. J. C. Hough.

Mr. M. A. Huggins spoke briefly on the work in the state and also on the co-operative program.

A report from the committees was called for, and was received as follows:

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... J. A. Powers
Vice-Moderator ..... Rev. A. J. Smith
Clerk-Treasurer ..... Rev. J. C. Hough
Pianist ..... Miss Gladys Poindexter

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Chairman ..... W. M. Herbert
Vice-Chairman ..... Lowell Taylor
Mrs. E. B. Marston, Sam C. Casey, Dr. W. W. Whittington, E. H. Bain.
W.M.U. ..... Mrs. Fred Harrell
B.Y.P.U. ..... Clayton Rouse
Christian Education ..... T. Threatt
Social Service ..... H. C. Bowers

CONVENTION DELEGATES

J. A. Powers, Rev. B. G. Early, Rev. T. C. Johnson

TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

FIRST MEETING—March 31, 1935—Jordan's Chapel.

SECOND MEETING—June 30, 1935—Kennedy Home.

THIRD MEETING—September 29, 1935—Snow Hill.

ANNUAL MEETING—Wednesday after first Sunday in November, 1935 with New Hope Church, Kinston.

Mr. J. M. Page spoke on the United Dry Forces.

Motion was made and seconded that minutes be printed, and with these to include a statistical report of 1933.

On motion of Rev. T. C. Johnson a rising vote of thanks was extended to Grainger Church for their hospitality.

Dismissed with prayer.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF NEUSE ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR 1933

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS	Baptisms	Church Membership	Sunday School Membership	Local Contributions	All Denominational Contributions	Grand Total
Bethel	John Dillahunt, Kinston	Leslie Tyndall	4	31	68	$ 40.00	$ 6.00	$ 46.00
Cabin	B. G. Early, Kinston	L. H. Sanderson	8	46	80	90.00	9.49	99.49
Davis Grove	F. L. Israel, Fremont							
Emmaus	H. Pipkin, Mt. Olive	J. W. Mozingo	9	96	75	197.25	2.50	199.75
Falling Creek	W. J. Jones, Salemburg	C. C. Ricks	6	251	214	402.35	63.35	465.70
Fremont	F. L. Israel, Fremont	H. Wellons	1	56	48	178.50	34.42	212.92
Goldsboro, First	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	A. V. Washburn	50	1188	1079	6,868.50	825.87	7,694.37
Goldsboro, Second	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	C. H. Langston	4	115	214	461.89	44.52	506.41
Goldsboro, Bryant St.	T. J. Hood, Goldsboro	J. A. Price	45	111	65	119.24		119.24
Grainger	John Dillahunt, Kinston	D. W. Hamilton		30	106	98.05	29.85	127.90
Hopewell	H. C. Bowers, Goldsboro	Z. V. Grady	2	59	58	28.49	5.50	33.99
Jordan's Chapel	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro	E. W. Brogden		58	60	181.00	2.30	183.30
Kennedy Home	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	D. H. Jernigan	23	161	161	199.86	912.37	1,112.23
Kinston, First	T. C. Johnson, Kinston	Mrs. J. A. Powers	10	777	521	4,944.55	1,019.67	5,964.29
LaGrange	R. L. Pugh, Dover	C. C. Aldridge		101	94	400.75	66.55	467.25
Mt. Nelson	F. L. Israel, Fremont	H. C. Bass	2	77	60	205.02	3.50	208.52
New Hope	B. G. Early, Kinston	David Cauley		45	48	99.44	25.00	124.44
Sandy Bottom	B. G. Early, Kinston	Mrs. R. P. Croom	1	47	47	79.57	31.90	111.47
Seven Springs	B. G. Early, Kinston	J. P. Parks		29	94	131.20	29.60	160.80
Snow Hill	F. L. Israel, Fremont	J. E. Debnam	2	87	64	439.52	49.09	488.61
Union	B. G. Early, Kinston	Sam Hines		56	96	386.34	40.95	427.29

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CHURCHES	PASTOR AND POST OFFICE	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT AND POST OFFICE	CLERK AND POST OFFICE	TREASURER AND POST OFFICE	Total—All Denominational Contributions	Total Local Contributions	Grand Total	Contributions To Orphanage	Baptisms	Church Membership	Sunday School Membership	B.Y.P.U. Enrollment	No. B.Y.P.U.'s	W.M.U. Enrollment	No. W.M.U. Organizations	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
Bethel		Leslie Tyndall, Pink Hill	Mrs. R. Williams, Pink Hill, RFI	Mrs. Redding Williams, Pink Hill	$ 10.50	$ 50.00	$ 60.50	$ 10.50	1		69					1
Cabin	B. G. Early, Kinston, R-4	Frank Baker, Pink Hill, R-5	C. B. Bishop, Beulaville, R-1	Mrs. Belzona Sanderson, Pink Hill	14.10	90.00	104.10	3.25		45						
Davis Grove	N. E. Gresham, Pinetops	Miss Ruby Taylor, Snow Hill	M. P. Taylor, Snow Hill, R-5	Dallas Taylor, Snow Hill	10.00	214.66	224.66	10.00		54	13					1
Emmaus	Howard Pipkin, Mt. Olive	J. W. Mozingo, Dudley	C. R. Casey, Dudley	C. R. Casey, Dudley		452.13	452.13			96	89					1
Fremont	N. E. Gresham, Pinetops		Mrs. L. O. Hayes, Fremont	Mrs. B. F. Aycock, Fremont	42.15	146.42	189.57	16.00		65	55			16	1	
Falling Creek	G. N. Ashley, Salemburg															
Goldsboro, First	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	A. V. Washburn, Goldsboro	M. A. Shaver, Goldsboro	Mrs. J. Andrew Smith, Goldsboro	1,043.11	7,945.57	8,988.68	257.35	23	1188	981	163	10	313	6	28
Goldsboro, Second	E. L. Parker, Goldsboro R-4	B. B. Wilson, Goldsboro	Melvin Dail, Goldsboro	Miss Sudie Dickens, Goldsboro	49.96	376.89	426.85	10.58			140			10	1	2
Goldsboro, Bryant St.	H. C. Bowers, Goldsboro, R-2	James Price, Goldsboro	Miss Elizabeth Weeks, Goldsboro	Mrs. Lily Strickland, Goldsboro	2.25	185.24	187.49	2.25	1	77	118					2
Grainger		D. W. Hamilton Kinston, R-1	R. S. Himmilton, Kinston, R-1	D. W. Hamilton, Kinston, R-4	30.00	351.00	381.00	10.00	2	33	90					
Hopewell	H. C. Bowers, Goldsboro, R-2	Zeb V. Grady, Dudley	Zeb V. Grady, Dudley	John Holmes, Seven Springs	5.50	119.64	125.14	2.50	1		54			8	1	1
Jordan's Chapel	G. N. Ashley, Salemburg	Elma Thornton, Mt. Olive R-3	C. F. Jordan, Mt. Olive	David Jernigan, Mt. Olive		98.00	98.00			40	50					
Kennedy Home	A. J. Smith, Goldsboro	E. W. Broeden, Kinston, R-2	Mrs. Annie Daugbety, Kinston, R-2	Miss Gladys Poindexter, K'ton, R-2	1,032.77	244.10	1,276.87	290.55	8	176	150	5	118	125	6	7
Kinston, First	T. C. Johnson, Kinston	Mrs. J. A. Powers, Kinston	Paul Taylor, Kinston	J. O. Hart, Kinston	1,027.82	6,441.29	7,469.11	217.21	32	825	535	3	63	113	1	
LaGrange	R. L. Pugh, Dover	Earle Kinsey, LaGrange	J. P. Joyner, LaGrange	E. R. Burke, LaGrange	64.72	375.00	479.72	50.51		101	93					
Mt. Nelson	N. E. Gresham, Pinetops	J. W. Davis, Stan'burg, RFD	Mrs. M. B. Chase, Fremont, R-1	Mrs. M. B. Chase, Fremont, RFD	46.64	339.32	429.28	17.57	4	81	60	1	30	20	1	4
New Hope	B. G. Early, Kinston, R-4	David Canley, Kinston, R-4	Rudolph Croom, Kinston, R-4	Rudolph Croom, Kinston, R-4	34.65	250.24	284.89	14.10	5		49	1	17			3
Sandy Bottom	B. G. Early, Kinston, R-4	Mrs. R. P. Croom, K'ton, R-4	Clyde Taylor, Kinston, R-4	W. F. Croom, Kinston, R-4	41.76	99.40	141.16	14.66	1		62	1	20			1
Seven Springs	B. G. Early, Kinston, R-4	J. P. Parks, Seven Springs	Mrs. W. R. Gibbs, Seven Springs	Mrs. W. R. Gibbs, Seven Springs	35.50	217.83	253.33	44.11			90	2	25	67	3	2
Snow Hill	N. E. Gresham, Pinetops	Lowell Taylor, Snow Hill	Mrs. J. E. Debnam, Snow Hill	R. A. Mewborn, Snow Hill	99.94	403.34	503.28	8.50		79	73					
Union	B. G. Early, Kinston, R-4	W. J. Rouse, Seven Spgs, RFD	Sam Hines, Seven Springs, RFD	Isler Davis, Seven Springs	42.40	249.88	292.28	15.95		52						3